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THE NEW GERRYMANDERING.
We trust the Legislature will make note of the peculiar methods employed by Mr. Gerry in his opposition to the Evening World Children's Bill.

Every eye is being pulled to "awful off" the Assemblymen who have exposed this just measure. Appeals, which save of threats, are being made to the lawmakers by police justices, bank presidents and others at the instance of Mr. Gerry. Social influences are brought to bear upon many of our contemporaries.

A great deal of lobbying of a low order is being done. Misrepresentation is indulged in without stint and prejudice appealed to without hesitancy.

Do our lawmakers favor Gerry-mandering of this latter-day sort, directed against a bill eminently just and urged by THE EVENING WORLD upon its intrinsic merits and in a manner clean and above-board throughout?

Mr. Gerry's Absolutism Threatened.
[From the Albany Argus.]
There must be something constitutionally weak about the present system of commitments of children, or Mr. Elbridge T. Gerry would not take so much pains to bring about the defeat of Assembly bill No. 667, which provides for the review of such commitments by a Supreme Court Judge within thirty days. Mr. Gerry has secured the Tribune and Herald of New York as his allies in this crusade against parental rights, and we are in receipt of a circular by him, addressed to the Legislature, in which all the arguments that can be urged in opposition to the bill are set forth. Mr. Gerry begins sentimentally with the statement that the bill is in the interest of the dangerous classes of New York City. How the simple review of a police magistrate's often hasty and ill-considered commitment of a child by a Judge on the Supreme Court Bench can be in the interest of the dangerous classes we are at a loss to understand, unless Mr. Gerry means that the Supreme Court are in league with the aforesaid dangerous classes.

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DON'T INCLUDE WIVES
The 400's Ball Tickets Only Admit One Person.
A Storm of Indignation in Our Legislators' Bosoms.

The City Fathers May Be Heard From on the Same Subject.
They All Feel That They Have Been Outrageously Deceived.

Since the startling discovery made yesterday by the Legislature that the Centennial Committee's complimentary invitation tickets to the ball and supper at the Metropolitan Opera-House on April 30 only admitted one person each, the City Fathers, who got their tickets yesterday, have been investigating matters, and the probability is that they will soon have their say on the matter.

When Secretary Clarence Bowen, the envoy extraordinary of the Four Hundred, appeared in the Aldermen's chamber yesterday with an armful of tickets and promises the big name which had been already fixed for exhibition was temporarily doctored, and the members of the Board felt that their wounded dignity had been sufficiently assuaged.

Not a single bomb was fired. Today, however, the situation has changed and the members of the Common Council, indignantly protesting, are in a position to demand that the City Fathers should be heard on the subject.

Of course, I thought the tickets included ladies," said a prominent outside representative. "All the ball tickets I ever bought included the ladies, and why shouldn't these? I wouldn't mind paying for a hat check, but when it comes to paying for a ticket for a lady, that's different."

Even the delicate attention which the Committee is giving to the subject, and the fact that the City Fathers are in a position to demand that the City Fathers should be heard on the subject, is a sign that the City Fathers are in a position to demand that the City Fathers should be heard on the subject.

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It is a very serious thing to separate parent and child by process of law, and surely it is not too much to ask that such a process be subjected to all reasonable supervision. The Legislature owes it to the sacred rights of parents and to the law of God that Assembly bill No. 667, shall become a law, in spite of the frantic efforts of Mr. Gerry and his aid utterances of his two New York mouthpieces.

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SEEN BY THE JURY.
The Room Where Drug Clerk Wechsung Was Murdered.
Trip Ordered by Judge Gildersleeve in the Krollsch Trial.

They Also Visit the Store Where the Axe Is Said to Have Been Sold.
The trial of stenographer-William Krollsch took another dramatic turn this morning, when, as a preliminary to the taking of testimony, the twelve manly intelligent men selected by Prosecutor Jerome and Defender Purdy to try the case, visited the scene of the tragedy and the hardware store where the hatchet which was used in chopping away the life of Greutner Wechsung is said to have been purchased.

At 10 o'clock Judge Gildersleeve opened Part II. of the Court of General Sessions and assigned the jury to the care of Clerk Moser, Capt. Curry and Col. Boland, court officers. They set out on Otto Dopper's drug store, at 937 Third avenue, near Fifteenth street, to visit the place where the drug clerk lost his life.

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WILL GO TO PRISON FIRST.
DR. ROBERTSON AND MR. MERRIFIELD TAKE A NOBLE STAND.
They Will Protect the Girl They Rescued from the Grave, and Stand the Consequences—Police Capt. Reilly Has Asked Them for an Explanation—Nothing Will Induce Them to Tell the Girl's Whereabouts.

The pretty seventeen-year-old girl who in desperate straits tried to end her existence in the Continental Hotel, at Twentieth street and Broadway, before dawn last Saturday morning is in kindly care out of town.

Proprietor Merrifield, of the Continental Hotel, and Dr. Robertson, who brought her back from the brink of the grave and aided her to escape when sufficiently recovered after her attempted suicide, say they will take the full term of imprisonment which their action had them liable to rather than make known her name or present whereabouts.

As already published, they have committed a felony, Section 178 of the penal code, which says that it is a felony to attempt to commit, and Section 30 of the code says a person who aids or conceals a felon is an accessory to the felony, and Section 33 of the code says that a person convicted as an accessory to a felony is punishable by imprisonment for not more than five years or a fine of not more than \$500, or both.

Police Capt. Reilly, of the West Twentieth street station, the kindest hearted officer in the department, but his duty impelled him to call on Mr. Merrifield and Dr. Robertson last evening and demand of them an explanation of their course in the matter.

When an EVENING WORLD reporter saw Dr. Robertson this morning the physician said he did not know whether he was to be arrested or not.

I do not care much, either," he said. "My conscience answers me that I have done right in the matter, and I will go to jail for a year before I will tell that poor girl's name or turn her over to the police."

You are perfectly satisfied that she is worthy of your most kind consideration?" asked the reporter.

In every respect I look upon her now as a protégée of mine, and will defend her as I would one of my own daughters. It would not have made any difference if I had known it. I thought I would have acted just the same, and I am sure Mr. Merrifield would have done the same.

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FOR HIGH LICENSE.
The Bill as Amended Passed the Assembly To-Day.
There Were 69 Votes in Its Favor and 63 Against It.

Republican Assemblymen Who Voted with the Democratic Members.
[SPECIAL TO THE EVENING WORLD.]
ALBANY, April 3.—The Assembly has just passed the High License bill, as amended, by a vote of 69 to 63.

The Republicans voting with the Democrats were Andrew A. H. Baker, Leroy, Little and Charles Smith, of New York.

MISS RICE'S CORRESPONDENT.
SOMEbody APPARENTLY WANTS TO MAKE HER ACQUAINTANCE.

"BREAKFAST!" If your object is strictly business and it is a case that has been left to me and I have no objection to it, I will be glad to see you. No. 270 West 30th st., Wednesday, at 10 o'clock. T. J. RICE.

Miss Rice, who appears as Nadya every evening at the Casino, has been perplexed for some time to know whether she was really an heiress to some vast fortune.

Some three weeks ago a letter came to the Casino for her. There was no signature, but the letter stated that the writer had considerable property in his possession which belonged to her.

He was very anxious to deliver it to her. In order to do so he must see her at once. Would she put an advertisement in the newspapers telling where and when he could see her? A street corner would suit him best.

The advertisement must contain the word "breakfast" in order that he might know it. Miss Rice must hold a newspaper in her hand when she stood on the street corner in order that he might know her.

There was \$2 in the note to pay for the advertisement, but she was not to take it. She was to wait for him at the Casino, and when he came he would tell her the rest.

No attention was paid to this, when another note reached the Casino. This note stated that the property consisted of valuable diamonds, rubies, pearls, and other trinkets, which were to be delivered to her.

Miss Rice concluded to answer the advertisement, and let the writer see her, not on a street corner, but at her home, where she could be properly introduced to him.

"Of all the notes I ever received at the Casino," said Miss Rice, "these are the ugliest. I have never seen a man who looks like this. He is a man of size, and her big Newfoundland dog."

Nadya waited somewhat impatiently for 1 o'clock. She did not know what to do, but she was sure that the man would come.

But 1 o'clock brought no man or diamonds. The person who wrote the note evidently did not expect to have the actress appoint her own time for meeting or see her name in the advertisement.

If he had called he would have had the pleasure of meeting Nadya, who is a man of size, and her big Newfoundland dog.

He resigned his title. The Baron von Shulika becomes plain "Mister."

OUR MARY SAILS FROM US.
THE GERMANIC CARRIED HER AT 8 THIS MORNING.
With Her Brother and Sister She Left the Victoria Hotel Before 5 O'Clock This Morning—A Little Company of Friends on the Pier Bid Her Good-Bye as the Big Vessel Put Out to Sea.

Miss Mary Anderson sailed at 8 o'clock this morning on the White Star steamer Germanic for England.

It was given out two or three days ago that she was going abroad, and that she had engaged passage on the City of Chester of the Inman line.

This was, perhaps, a kindly little fiction gotten up by some of Miss Anderson's inventive friends to prevent a throng from coming to bid her good-bye.

On the passenger list of the Germanic, which is one of the star-liners of the White Star line, were written these names:

Mr. Joseph Anderson, Mrs. Joseph Anderson, sister and maid.

The unnamed sister was the charming and successful American actress, Miss Mary Anderson.

The name of this beautiful daughter of Kentucky is known all over the world. Of course, every one will recognize Mr. Joseph Anderson as her brother, and Mrs. Joseph Anderson as her sister.

Miss Anderson spent yesterday in the very responsible management of directing the packing of her trunks and handboxes at the Hotel Victoria.

It was up this morning before the morning star. An early carriage with twinkling lights and a sleepy driver stood at the pavement of the hotel.

Miss Anderson, her brother and her sister-in-law, started for Europe at 4:30 o'clock in the morning.

They arrived at the White Star pier, a stone's throw from Christopher street, at 5 o'clock.

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THE POLO GROUNDS PETITION.
Baseball Admirers Who Have Not Signed It Should Do So at Once.
The Polo Grounds question is still in abeyance. The Aldermen will not take any action in the matter until Tuesday next. The Evening World petitions now before the Board of Aldermen contain 14,000 names, to put it precisely.

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